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1. On 16 November 1947 Marshal Zymierski, accompanied by General Poplawski and Colonel Lipinski, carried out maneuvers of military units belonging to the 7th "Luzyc" Infantry Division. The maneuvers took place in the voivodships of Sillesia and Dabrowa.
2. The headquarters of the 9th Infantry Division is stationed partly in the building of the former Theological Seminary in ul. Basztowa and partly in the former barracks of the 5th Infantry Regiment where the Administrative Company, transferred from Bakonieczyc, is operating. The transfer was carried out on 25 September 1946 by an order issued on the 15th of September. The Staff of the Administrative Company and the training battalion are due to be transferred to Rzeszow (by order of the C. in C.)

The maneuver group is due to be billeted in the former barracks of the 2nd Armored Battalion in Zurawica. To it is attached the Training Battalion, composed of new recruits. The drafting of 275 new recruits who came mostly from the Recruiting Center in Lodz took place in the first days of September.

3. During October an Artillery (Howitzer) Unit was located in Rozwadow. The Commanding Officer was Major Spanowski, the second in command Captain Zolkos, Chief of Staff Captain Jasinski, a Deputy Chief of Staff Captain Nowicki, and a security officer. The unit is composed of 36 officers (of whom 6 are Russians), 50 N.C.O.s, and 150 men. It is armed with twelve 122mm howitzers, two 105 mm guns, 157 rifles, 21 P.P.Sh., 59 "TT" pistols, four Verrey pistols, and seven light machine guns.
4. The headquarters of the Independent Motorcar Regiment are stationed at Otrebusy near Warsaw. The Commanding Officer is Colonel Shikanov (A Russian). Its battalions are dispersed all over Poland including territory recently acquired from Germany.
5. As from the 15th of November 1946, two new compulsory subjects were introduced in the curriculum of the Officers Signal School in Zgierz. The General History of Russia, and "The Polish Soldier in Political Life". The lecturer is Lieutenant Lukov.

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